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Pursuant to the duty of disclosure provisions pursuant to 37 CFR 1.56, the Applicants hereby submit a statement in accordance with 37 CFR 1.97-1.99.

## **REFERENCES**

The Examiner is respectfully requested to give consideration to the documents listed on the PTO-1449 form attached hereto and to make these documents of record in the file wrapper of the present application. These documents were cited in a European Search Report for a corresponding European application. A copy of the European Search Report is enclosed herewith. The European Search Report issued June 1, 1970 and thus, the Information Disclosure Statement is being timely filed within the present three month period following issuance of the European Search Report and is thus proper.

## STATEMENT OF RELEVANCY

"Promise and Challenge of Thin-Film Silicon Approaches to Active Matrices" to Lakatos was cited by the European Examiner

25D 25B 8-790 Mal as being particularly relevant if taken alone. Specifically, the European Examiner cited page 146, column 1, lines 35-54; page 148, column 2, lines 26-38; and Figures 1 and 2 as being particularly relevant.

"A 640 X 400 CdSe TFT-LC Display Panel" to Luo et al was cited by the European Examiner for technological background. Specifically, the European Examiner cited page 286, column 1, lines 30-53 and Figure 1 as being particularly relevant.

Since there is an inference that these references are material to the examination of the present application, these references are submitted for consideration by the U.S. Examiner (see MPEP Section 2001.06(a)).

This statement is not to be construed as a representation that a search has been made or that no better art exists.

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